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# AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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27656/38365A

Application No.  
10/509,558-Conf. #1027

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Examiner  
G. S. Emch

Art Unit  
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Applicant(s): Ernst Hafen et al.

Invention: GROWTH REGULATING PROTEINS

## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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